



MARY LOU PARKS

3rd Representative District



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Biography: Democrat, of Detroit; born July 24 at Anderson, South Carolina; four sons, one daughter and a proud grandmother; member, Mt. Pleasant Missionary Baptist Church; graduate, Carver High School, South Carolina; attended Wayne State University; member, Gamma Phi Delta Sorority, Delta Theta Chapter; life member, NAACP; 15th Congressional District UAW Cap Council Chairperson, Florence Ames Temple #17, Order of the Elks member; member, National Council of Negro Women; former 15th Congressional District Democrat Party Statutory Vice Chair; former deputy director, Coordinated Campaign, Clinton/Gore; former Detroit Science Center Trustee; former Executive Assistant to Congressman George W. Crockett, Jr.; former special assistant to Governor James J. Blanchard; chair, Michigan Legislative Black Caucus; elected to the House of Representatives in special election, June 1993.

